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Record Votes: Five record votes were taken today. (Total—290) Pages S9116–17, S9130–31, S9144–45, S9162

Recess: Senate convened at 9:15 a.m., and recessed at 9:38 p.m., until 8:40 a.m., on Wednesday, June 28, 1995. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's RECORD on page S9195.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1996 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the ballistic missile defense program, receiving testimony from Lt. Gen. Malcolm R. O'Neill, Director, Ballistic Missile Defense Organization, Department of Defense.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, July 11.

AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness met and approved those provisions which fall within its jurisdiction of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for national defense programs.

AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Airland Forces met in closed session to mark up those provisions which fall within its jurisdiction of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for national defense programs, but did not complete action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on SeaPower met in closed session and approved those provisions which fall within its jurisdiction of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for national defense programs.

AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces met in closed session and approved those provisions which fall within its jurisdiction of pro-

posed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for national defense programs.

PROPERTY RIGHTS AND ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee held oversight hearings on proposals to supplement the legal framework for private property interests, focusing on the operation of Federal environmental laws, including related provisions of S. 605, receiving testimony from John R. Schmidt, Associate Attorney General, Department of Justice; Joseph L. Sax, Counselor to the Secretary and Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy, Department of the Interior; New Hampshire State Senator Richard L. Russman, Kingston, on behalf of the National Conference of State Legislatures; Roger J. Marzulla, Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer and Feld, Roger Pilon, CATO Institute, and Edward M. Thompson, Jr., American Farmland Trust, all of Washington, D.C.; Frank I. Michelman, Harvard University Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Jim Little, Emmett, Idaho, on behalf of the National Cattlemen's Association; and Don Martin, Albuquerque, New Mexico, on behalf of the National Association of Home Builders.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SOCIAL SECURITY TRUST FUNDS

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Social Security and Family Policy held hearings on proposals to restore the long-term solvency of the Social Security System, focusing on the Old Age and Survivors Insurance Trust Fund and the Disability Insurance Trust Fund, receiving testimony from Senator Kerrey; David M. Walker, Arthur Andersen LLP, Atlanta, Georgia, former Public Trustee of the Social Security and Medicare Trust Funds, and former Assistant Secretary of Labor; and Stanford G. Ross, Arnold & Porter, former Commissioner of Social Security and former Public Trustee of the Social Security and Medicare Trust Funds, Mark A. Weinberger, Oldaker, Ryan & Leonard, Anne C. Canfield, McClure, Gerard & Neuenschwander, Inc., Heather Lamm, Third Millennium, C. Eugene Steuerle, Urban Institute, and Allan Tull, American Association of Retired Persons, all of Washington, D.C.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held oversight hearings on the activities and responsibilities of the Department of Justice, focusing on the administration of justice and the enforcement of laws, receiving testimony from Janet Reno, Attorney General, Department of Justice.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Dianne P. Wood, of Illinois, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Seventh Circuit, Tena Campbell, to be United States District Judge for the District of Utah, George H. King, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California, and Robert H. Whaley, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Washington, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Wood was introduced by Senators Simon and Moseley-Braun, Ms. Campbell was introduced by Senators Hatch and Bennett, Mr. King was introduced by Senator Boxer, and Mr. Whaley was introduced by Senators Gorton and Murray.

BRAIN RESEARCH AND HEALTH CARE COST REDUCTION

Special Committee on Aging: Committee concluded hearings to examine how investment in research into the causes and courses of certain diseases can reduce

health care costs, focusing on brain research and the long-term-care costs of brain-related disorders, and a task force report on how to prioritize and fund aging-related research, after receiving testimony from Senator Hatfield; Richard W. Besdine, University of Connecticut Health Center, Farmington, Connecticut, representing the Alliance for Aging Research; Guy M. McKhann, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland, representing the Dana Alliance for Brain Initiatives; Jerry Avorn and Dennis J. Selkoe, both of the Brigham and Women's Hospital, and Ole Isacson, McLean Hospital, all of the Harvard University Medical School, Arthur D. Ullian, National Campaign to End Neurological Disorders, and Benjamin Reeve, all of Boston, Massachusetts; Robert M. Goldberg, Brandeis University, Waltham, Massachusetts; Allen D. Roses, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, North Carolina; Dennis W. Choi, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, Missouri; Millicent R. Kondracke, Washington, D.C.; and Frances Powers, Lebanon, Pennsylvania.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Fifteen public bills, H.R. 1926–1940; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 98, H. Con. Res. 79, and H. Res. 174 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 541, to reauthorize the Atlantic Tunas Convention Act of 1975, amended (H. Rept. 104–109, Part 2);

H.R. 1642, to extend nondiscriminatory treatment (most-favored-nation treatment) to the products of Cambodia (H. Rept. 104–160);

H.R. 1887, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1996 and 1997 for the International Trade Commission, the Customs Service, and the Office of the United States Trade Representatives, amended, (H. Rept. 104–161);

H.R. 1643, to authorize the extension of non-discriminatory treatment (most-favored-nation treatment) to the products of Bulgaria (H. Rept. 104–162);

H.R. 1176, to nullify an executive order that prohibits Federal contracts with companies that hire permanent replacements for striking employees (H. Rept. 104–163);

H. Res. 173, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress and the States to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States (H. Rept. 104–164).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Emerson to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: House recessed at 10:52 a.m. and reconvened at noon.

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Catafalque Transfer: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 18, authorizing the Architect of the Capitol to transfer the catafalque to the Supreme Court for a funeral service—clearing the measure.

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Committees To Sit: The following committees and their subcommittees received permission to sit today during the proceedings of the House under the five-minute rule: Committees on Banking and Financial Services, Commerce, Economic and Educational Opportunities, Government Reform and Oversight, International Relations, Resources, Science, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Select Intelligence.

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Air Force Academy: The Speaker appointed Representatives Young of Florida, Hefley, Dicks, and